

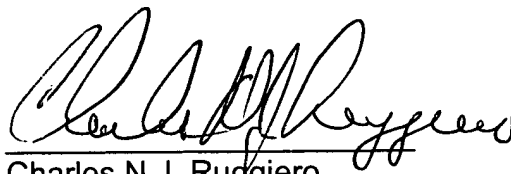
Remarks/Arguments

Claims 1 through 5 and 8 through 40 have been allowed in the present application. Claims 6 and 7 were canceled by a previous amendment. Claim 21 has been amended to correct minor typographical errors. Claims 9 and 11 have each been amended to recite a list of possible materials for the first and second layers, respectively, in the standard Markush group format. The amendments to claims 9 and 11 are clearly supported on page 7 of the disclosure; no new matter has been added.

These amendments neither raise new issues nor require further consideration by the Examiner. Because amended claims 9 and 11 properly depend from independent claim 1, which has already been allowed, the amended claims do not raise any substantive issues of patentability. Accordingly, no additional search by the Examiner is necessary.

Applicants sincerely appreciate the Examiner's allowance of claims 1 through 5 and 8 through 40 and respectfully request entry of the present amendment.

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